WANTS MINE WAGE AGREEMENT KEPT

Secretary Davis Only Carrying Out Understanding in Calling Conference.

"I am only contemplating carrying out the understanding reached in the last bituminous wage award that two representatives of each state in the central competitive district should get together and discuss wage questions prior to April 1 as proof that the integrity of agreements between coal operators and miners is recognized and DR.C. W. WAIDNER,

respected."

This, in a few words, summarizes the attitude of Secretary of Labor Davis. and through him the entire administration, regarding the proposed conference between operators and miners, which, it is board will the pationwide. hoped, will thwart the nationwide is hoped, will thwart the nationwise coal strike threatened for April 1.

Secretary Davis has concluded his telegram to miners' unions and to large coal operators with the substance of this quotation, stressing the point that the government wishes to see whether the agreement reached at the bituminous ways conference more than two years. agreement reached at the bitummous wage conference more than two years ago will be carried out. Officials are confident that if the parties to the contract can be brought around a table the strike will be averted and that probably some positive action looking toward will be tterment of future relations will be

Using No Pressure.

The government is not bringing any pressure to bear on either party to the proposed conference. It simply wishes. Labor Department officials pointed out today, to see to it that the terms of the contractual agreement, under which union soft coal mines are now operating, shall be carried out, in so far as it relates to a preliminary conference before the end of the present agreement.

Under the present agreement it is specifically set forth that prior to April. 1, 1922, two representatives of each state in the central competitive field, two operators from each of those states and officials of the United Mine Workers shall get together to discuss wage questions. Carrying out of this agreement is all the government is seeking at the present moment.

90 PER CENT FOR STRIKE.

Results of Miner Vote Shows Walkout Favored if Needed.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 11.— The strike vote of soft coal miners was completed last night by local was completed last night by locar was completed throughout the country and though the exact returns will try and though the exact returns will try and though the exact returns will be known for a week officials of not be known for a week officials of the United Mine Workers of America and a resident of Washington for here believed that nine-tenths or more of the workers cast their balmore of the workers cast their balmore of the workers cast their balmore of a walkout on April 1, unless to the bureau of standards and a resident of Washington for about twenty years, died last night at his home, 1748 Lanier place, after a protracted illness.

BR. CHARLES W. WAIDNER.

Dr. Charles W. Waidner, chief the wast volume of work entailed caused the vast volume of wor

their present basic wage scales.

PROTESTS TO MR. DAVIS.

Central Pennsylvania Operator Against Joint Conference.

the Associated Press. By the Associated Press.

ALTOONA, Pa., March 11.—A protest against revival of the joint conference between miners and operators in the central competitive field was sent today to Secretary of Labor Davis by G. Webb Shillingford, president of the Central Coal Association. vis by G. Webb Shillingford, president of the Central Coal Association.
Altoona, composed of central Pennsylvania coal operators.

Mr. Shillingford declared that the

Mr. Shillingtord declared that the conferences have set up a "monopoly of union labor" and forced outlying felds, which produce more coal than the central competitive field, to "submit to wage scales and rules that interfere with the efficiency, resulting in inflated costs and unreliability of service."

Agreement services will be he cat the residence tomorrow afternor at 2 o'clock and interment will be Ealtimore.

GREEK CABINET RESIGNS. service."
He said the Central Coal Associa

He said the Central Coal Associa-tion's members are ready to meet their employes, union or non-union, to negotiate a new scale, and asked the federal administration not to "further complicate the situation and handicap the efforts of responsible operators to deal with their employes in fairness."

The central Pennsylvania bituminous coal field is not included in the territory known as the central competitive field, made up of western of Premier Gounaris has resigned Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illiafter its defeat yesterday in the reins, the wage scale fixed in the central competitive field is the basis, as a rule, for wage contracts in other soft coal districts.

WILL MEET MONDAY.

Miners to Discuss New Scale.

FAIRMONT, W. Vs., March 11.—
Frank Keeny, president of district 17, United Mine Workers of America, has accepted the invitation of the Northern West Virginia Coal Operators' Association to meet in Baltimore next Monday for the purpose of discussing a new agreement. Officials discussing a new agreement. Officials By the Associated Press. cussing a new agreement. Officials the association said here that they of the association said nere that help had been notified by Mr. Keeny that "as an evidence of the good faith" of the miners union, a wage scale committee "with full power Ao act will be authorized by the convention which meets in Charleston, March 21."

WILL TAKE UP QUESTION.

Illinois Miners to Consider Making Agreement With Operators.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 11.—W. J. Cavenaugh, head of the Joint Operators' Coal Association of Illinois, stated that a message had been sent Frank Farrington, president of the miners' association, calling his attention to a letter which had been sent Farrington on March 1 in regard to a conference on March 8, to which the president of the miners had not replied. Later a message was received

BAND OF DOG BANDITS PRESENT PORTRAI

MACOMB, Ili. March 11 .- A new variety of banditry has made its ppearance in McDonough county. Stray dogs, which have gathered in packs, killing sheep and worrying hogs on farms throughout the ing hogs on farms throughout the county, have been inflicting heavy losses on farmers. The dogs are said to have entired many valuable stock dogs to join their ranks. Farmers forming dog-hunting posses took the trail and followed one of the bandit gangs to an old straw stack, where a dozen dogs-of many and uncertain breeds had taken refuge after a night's raid. taken refuge after a night's raid. Two of the animals were killed,

the others escaping. SCIENTIST, DIES

Organized Division of Heat and Thermometry in Bureau of Standards.



a new wage agreement is made in the an earning and the control of the central competitive field, comprising western pennsylvania, Ohio. Indiana and Illinois. seemed remote to the union chiefs, for no change in the attitude of operators opposing an interstate conference resulted from the appeal of Secretary of Labor Davis for the two sides getting together.

The only possibility of a conference, as viewed by union officials, was for the government calling both operators and niners to Washington, but no one at union headquarters had any information that such a call was contemplated by administration officials.

What may happen in the Pennsyl-What may happen in the pennsyl-wania anthracite field depends on the outcome of the meeting between union officials and operators and interstation of the attitude of the moutome of the meeting between union officials and operators at New York next Wednesday. To the expension of the extension in the soft call fields the miners ask the retention of fields the miners ask case sconnected the methods was captaged for a few wage agreement in the soft coal fields the miners ask the retention of fields the miners ask the retention of fields the miners ask the retention of fields the miners ask case sconnected the determination of the pass connected to the determination of the courter of the pass connected the methods was organized the division of the attitude to the determination of the data control to the pass of t

the methods now in use for the testing of clinical thermometers. For
the last few years his interest was
confined to the determination of the
physical constants used in enginearing, especially refrigerating engis neering. During the war he was in
charge of the bureau's extensive work
on aviation engines, which, with
other things, reproduced, for the first
time the atmospheric conditions encountered at heights up to 30,000 feet,
in a specially designed altitude chamber. Dr. Waidner also organized and
directed the extensive investigations
conducted by the bureau on the fireresistive properties of structural materials. He was a contributor to several scientific publications.
Dr. Waidner leaves no near relatives. Funeral services will be held
at the residence tomorrow afternoon
at 2 o'clock and interment will be in
Baltimore.

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Quebec. In that province there has been
but one arrest for criminal assault—
and that one arrest covered a period
of sixty-five years.

"We have been told." Mr. Ellis continued. "That there is in Chicago a band
of pickpockets who engage counsel with
an annual retainer to defend their
members. Such a charge against a
member of the bar is almost unbelievable, yet such is the testimony."

The committee has heard so much
about conditions in Chicago, where
Judge Kavanaugh, one of its members,
is judge of a trial court, that it plans
to visit that city early next mopth to
make a first-hand investigation. April
10. Mr. Ellis stated, the entire committee, through the courtesy of Judge
Kavanaugh, will sit with him on the
bench and follow the cases that pass
before him, questioning the witnesses
and others, if desirable, to learn of
the underlying causes of crime.

AFTER VOTE IS REFUSED

Report on Negotiations With Allies on Near East Peace Fails to Receive Confidence.

chamber of deputies, when the premier was refused a vote of confidence The vote being 161 to 156. Premier Gounaris prior to the vote

explained in the assembly the outcome of his negotiations during his West Virginia Operators and recent trip to London, Paris and Rome. He stated that, as the allies desired to establish peace in the near east, he had accepted their mediation on condition that the allies agreed regarding the peace terms. Greece must, therefore, await the results of the Paris conference on near eastern

deputies that negotiations for a loan to Greece were well advanced and only awaited action by the international finance commission and also the consent of America. He then moved the vote of confidence, which was defeated by five votes.

PRESIDENT IS AWAY TO AVOID BICKERING

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complication of an acute character. The stated that a message had been sent Frank Farrington, president of the miners' association. The president and his advisers think it was good diplomacy to a conference on March 8, to which the president of the mars as a conference on March 8, to which the president of the mars as a conference on March 8, to which the president of the mars as a conference on March 8, to which the president of the mars as a conference on March 8, to which the president of the mars as a conference on March 8, to which the president of the mars as a conference on March 8, to which the president of the mars as a conference on March 8, to which the president of the mars as a conference on March 8, to which the president of the mars and the president of the mark a meeting of the executive committee of the miners will be called for March 16 in Chicago to take up the proposition of the Illinois Joint Operators' Association.

FOLLOW LEAD OF LEWIS.

By the Associated Press.

PITTSBURGH. Pa., March 11.—The miners' union of the Pittsburgh discreting of the the bicketring is going on it will be called for march 16 in the miners' union of the president of the mark the mark the pact tiself. Mr. Harding will accept them, He does not want to be around while the bicketring is going on it is can help it. The next two weeks will see the fats of the treaties decident will go may conference or meeting of the mark the bonus measure transfers decident will have been "covered" into the country of the mark the bonus measure transfers decident will have been "covered" into the country of the mark the bonus measure transfers decident will have been "covered" into the country of the mark the bonus measure transfers decident will have been "covered" into the country of the mark the bonus measure transfers decident will have been "covered" into the country of the mark the bonus measure transfers decident will have been "covered" into the country of the mark the country of the mark the price of ending the price of the dam

OF JUDGE TO COURT

Late Judge Dueil Eulogized. Picture Given by Patent Law Association.

that court by the American Patent Law Association. Chief Justice Smyth accepted the portrait on behalf of the court and directed that it be hung on the wall of the court, which is aiready adorned by portraits of other deceased justices of the appellate court.

Melville Church made the presentation of the court of Appeals. The tragedy occurred September 11, 1919, when the three men started out to "stick-up" somebody, according to the evidence at the trial. Rufus went into the store while Roy and Chase stood guard on the outside. The men escaped after the killing and were not apprehended for

tation speech on behalf of the patent bar. He reviewed the duties of the judiciary and referred at length to the eminent qualifications which the eminent qualifications which Justice Duell possessed, especially as regards the patent cases, which amount to nearly one-half of the court's business. Mr. Church said: "With this class of judicial business Judge Duell was eminently qualified to cope, Following a period of general practice at the bar, he had taken up patent law as a specialty; had achieved distinction in its practice, and had in addition an invaluable experience as commissioner of patents."

perience as commissioner of patents." The speaker referred to the honor felt by the patent bar at the selection of Justice Duell and spoke of the aid he had given the then members of the court in disposing of patent Eulogines Judge Duell.

Attorney Frederic D. McKenney spoke for the District Bar Asociation. He reviewed the life of Judge Duell and pointed out that while he served only from January, 1965, until August, 1906, his hand "shaped the record of many opinions in matters involving the law of patents, trade marks and copyrights, in which by common consent he was proclaimed common consent he was proclaimed to be an expert. He also wrote a great number of opinions in almost every branch and upon almost every topic of the law." Mr. McKenney described Justice Duell as "patient,

described Justice Duell as "patient. attentive to argument of counsel and considerate both of his associates upon the bench and of the bar, to whom he quickly endeared himself."

Thomas Ewing, former commissioner of patents, addressed the court on behalf of the New York County Bar Association. He dwelt on the years of practice of Judge Duell at the New York bar, both before and after his service on the bench, and expressed the regret of the bar that he had not continued his judicial duties.

Same Action in New York. Somewhat similar action will be taken later in New York. There the

committee plans to meet at the headquarters of the bar association and examine witnesses. Mr. Ellis was asked if the committee had decided upon a remedy.

proposal that the American Bar Association take action at its next meeting to insure the administration of justice to the poor man by placing at his disposal the services of its members free of charge if he is unable to pay a fee.

"We should like to have in every community of the United States a street lines, grade lines and parking within that part of the Washington. Maryland. The bill further provides for a general system of streets, parks, each within the territory manifest.

"We should like to have in every community of the United States a group of lawyers pledged to render such service to man or woman, rich or poor, in civil or criminal cases. We want those lawyers to be of the highest possible type. We want their names published in the newspapers, stuck up in the courthouses and police stations and elsewhere, so that lice stations and 'elsewhere, so that they may be thoroughly known to the public."

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RUFUS GORDON TO DIE AS PENALTY FOR MURDER

ler-Condemned Man's Brother Given Long Prison Term.

Rufus Gordon, colored, was senenced today by Chief Justice McCoy to be hanged at the District jail Friday, May 26. His brother, Roy Gordon, convicted of murder in the second degree in connection with the killing of Simon Miller, a storekeep-A life-size portrait of the late Charles H. Duell, a former justice of Gordon at the store, 1991 Lamont the Court of Appeals of the District Street northwest, was given thirty of Columbia, was presented today to that court by the American Parent

side. The men escaped after the killing and were not apprehended for

several months.

DeWitt Dixon, colored, was given a term of five years in the penitentiary on two charges of housebreaking. He entered the homes of William B. Lanigan at 1331 Spring road and of Paul Wacker at 1336 Newton street. Probation Officer Steele told the court that Dixon is wanted in Detroit, Columbus and other places on housebreaking charges.

Three years in the penitentiary was imposed on Irene Ransome, colored, a shoplifter, and James Busey for an assault with a dangerous weapon. C. Ray Goetz, convicted of false pretenses, was also sent to the penitentiary for three years.

TWO BANDIT BANDS SEIZE PAY ROLLS

BROWNSVILLE, Pa., March 11 .-Albert Flemming, manager of the W J. Rainey & Co. store at Allison, Pa., and C. O. Evans, chief clerk, were robbed of approximately \$30,000, the company's mine pay roll, by six bandits, who held up a trolley car three miles from here today. Men who accompanied Flemming and Evans as guards were shot, but not seriously wounded. The bandits escaped in an automobile. Drive Off Into Hills.

The car had stopped at a lonely

spot when the men, each armed with a pistol, got aboard. Two covered the motorman and the others opened fire on the party with the money Seizing the bag, they jumped into an automobile which had drawn up beinto the hills.

The W. J. Rainey company is the most important independent coal and coke corporation in the Connella-ville region, and many of its employes were waiting at Allison for their

\$10,000 Taken at Pittsburgh. PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 11 .- Four armed men today held up and robbed J. W. Bishop and R. E. Malone, paymasters for the Bernard Glockler Company, at Penn avenue and 12th

street, and escaped with company pay roll of \$10,000.

ROCKVILLE, Md., March 11 (Special).-Frederick Stabler, retired farmer and one of the Olney district's oldest and most prominent citizens, died Thursday morning at the Sandy Spring Hospital, aged ninety years.
His death was the result of a general breakdown, due to his advanced age.
He is survived by three children—
Tariton B. Stabler and Mrs. Clarence
L. Glipin, of Olney district, and Caleb

His death was the result of a general breakdown, due to his advanced age. He is survived by three children—Tariton B. Stabler and Mrs. Clarence L. Gilpin, of Olney district, and Caleb Stabler. of Wilmington, Del. The funeral took place at 10:20 o'clock this morning from the Meeting House of the Society of Friends, Sandy Spring, burial being in the Friends' cemetery nearby.

Mr. Stabler was a son of the late Caleb and Ann Moore Stabler and was a litelong resident of this caunty, as were both of his parents. Although the Stabler family has been noted for its longsvity, many members living until well into their eighties, Mr. Stabler was the first to reach the age of ninety. Until very recently, he was remarkably active for one of his years, driving around by himself and taking a lively interest in things generally. For many years, and until his retirement from active business, he was a successful farmer and fruit grower.

Met With Acquiescence.

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"At this stage, while it was not strictly a conference matter, in order to insure publicity at the earliest possible moment, the treaty as thus agreed upon and before it had been signed was presented by Scnator Lodge to the conference in plenary session and its import and limitation stated. His statement met with the acquiescence of all.

"The treaty as thus drawn and nottined was deemed to embrace the main islands of Japan, Later, in view of the sentiment both in this country and Japan, it was deemed to be preferable to exclude these main islands and a supplementary treaty was prepared to this effect which designated the islands of Japan which it was to include.

Not Slightest Mystery.

"There is not the slightest mystery about the treaty or basis for suspendent the development, which attains one of the main property in the conference matter. In order to insure publicity at the earliest possible moment, the treaty as thus factor to the sentiment by the earliest possible moment, the treaty as thus factor to the sentiment by the earliest possible mom

mittee had decided upon a remedy.

"Not as a committee," he replied.

"We are considering several suggestions, however.

"It seems to some of us that the way to check the crime wave is to insure the administration of justice to everybody in the United States, rich and poor alike. When a man is sure that he can get justice the chances are that he will not want to take the law into his own hands. We want to strike at the root of the trouble, and that, it seems to me, is the root.

"Accordingly, we are considering a proposal that the American Bar Association take action at its next the context of the counties, approval and plats in both counties, approval and plate in the etc., within the territory mentioned and for necessary funds.

MOUNT RAINIER.

MOUNT RAINIER, Md., March 11.-MOUNT RAINIER, Md., March 11.—
At a special meeting of the common council it was decided to have a proposed amendment to the town charter framed to be presented to the legislature for authority to levy 10 cents on each \$100 of assessable property for the purpose of procuring more adequate police protection and to give the mayor of the municipality powers of a police judge within the corporate limits of the town. Both propositions if passed by the legislature will be submitted to the voters of the town for acceptance or rejection.

At a special meeting of the common at the compulsory educational limits of the town charter framed to be presented to the common and the compulsory educational limits of the town. Both propositions of the law optional with counties and cities.

REVOLT SWEEPS TRIPOLI;

REBELS CUT RAILWAY,

TRAP ITALIAN TROOPS for acceptance or rejection.

The ninth annual banquet of the Men's Club of the Mount Rainier Christian Church, always a big event in this section, is to be held the evening of March 29. An elaborate program is below a presented in the company of the company of

SHOT THROUGH WINDOW SOLDIER BONUS

Sentenced for Slaying Simon Mil- Police Seek Two Men Resembling Robbers Who Held Up Family in 1920.

> By the Associated Press RIVERSIDE, N. J., March 11 .- John Theodore Brunen, an amusement pro moter and owner of the Doris and Perrari circus, was shot and killed last night while seated near a first-floo window of his home reading. A full charge from a shotgun struck him behind the left ear. His wife was on the second floor when the shooting oc-curred and found the body of her husband on the floor when she rush-ed into the room. There is no clue to who fired the shot.

Mrs. Brunen's mother and the slain man's daughter had left the house only a few minutes before the shoot-ing to attend a motion picture theater In July, 1920, the Brunen home was ontered by two men, who held up Mrs. Brunen and robbed the place of jewelry and money. According to Burlington county authorities the descriptions of the two men resemble those of two or three men semble those of two or three men seen by neighbors to park a motor car near the Brunen home last night before the shooting.

Ellis Parker, Burlington county detective, said today that he had been unable to learn from the neighbors as to which direction the machine came from or where it was headed later. Mrs. Brunen was in a state of collapse and was unable to give any information to the police, not having seen the shot fired.

Brunen's circus has been wintering

Brunen's circus has been wintering at Williamstown, N. J., and, according to Parker, Brunen had been especially active in preparing for the coming season.

SECRETARY HUGHES ASSAILS CRITICS OF PARLEY DELEGATES

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to say that the negotiations relating to the four-power treaty were con-ducted within limitations defined by ducted within limitations defined by
the American government.

"The views of this government as to
the importance of the termination of
the Anglo-Japanese alliance had been
communicated long before the conference met, and it had also been
clearly stated that this government
could enter into no alliance or make
any commitment to the use of arms
or which would impose any sort of
obligation as to its decisions in future contingencies. It must deal with contingencies. It must deal with exigency according to its constiany exigency account tutional methods.

Matter Reviewed Thoroughly.

"In preparation for the conference the American delegates reviewed the matter thoroughly and the entire course of the negotiations in connecside the trolley car, and drove off I have said, within the limits which

course of the negotiations in connection with the four-power treaty was in accord with these principles, and, as I have said, within the limits which we defined.

"The treaty itself is very short and simple, and is perfectly clear. It requires no commentary. Its engagements are easily understood, and no ingenuity in argument or hostile criticism can add to them or make them other or greater than its unequivocal language sets forth. There are no secret notes or understandings.

"In view of this, the question of authorship is unimportant. It was signed by four powers, whose delegates, respectively, adopted it, all having made various suggestions.

"REE PEEBLES HUSTON having made various suggestions.

Draft Was Submitted. "I may say, however, with respect to the general course of negotiations, that after assent had been given by PACKVILLE. Md., March 11 (Spe
"I may say, however, with respect to the general course of negotiations, that after assent had been given by Great Britain and Japan that France should be a party to the agreement; I prepared a draft of the treaty based upon the various suggestions which had been exchanged between the delegates. This draft was first submitted to Senator Lodge and Mr. Root. as you were then absent on account of the death of your mother. After the approval of the American delegates who were here, the draft was submitted to the representatives of other powers and became the subject of discussion between the heads of the delegations concerned. and, with a few changes, which were approved by the American delegates and which did not affect the spirit or substance of the proposed treaty, an agreement was reached. "Immediately upon your return I went over the whole matter with you and the proposed agreement received your approval. I should add that in

and the proposed agreement received and the proposed agreement received your approval. I should add that, in order to avoid any misunderstanding I prepared a memorandum to accompany the treaty with respect to its effect in relation to the mandsted islands and reserving domestic questions. tions.

Met With Acquiescence.

"There is not the slightest mystery about the treaty or basis for suspicion regarding it. It is a straightforward document, which attains one of the most important objects the of the most important sojects the American government has had in view and is of the highest importance to the maintenance of friendly relations in the far east upon a sound basis. As the President recently said, in his communication to the Senate, it is an essential part of the plan to create conditions in the far east at create conditions in the far east at once favorable to the maintenance of the policies we have long advocated and to an enduring peace.

"In view of this, and in view of the relation of the treaty to the results of the conference, its failure would be nothing short of a national calamity."

EDUCATION BILL VOTED.

RICHMOND, Va., March 11.-The senon the compulsory educational bill. The only change in the bill as passed is the amendment added by the house, making enforcement of the provisions of the law optional with counties and cities.

TRAP ITALIAN TROOPS

By the Associated Press. ROME, March 11 .- A revolution on a large scale has broken out in Tripoli, says a dispatch to the newspaper Ilmondo from its correspondent in the capital, The rebels have cut the rallway in many places and attacked the Italian garrisons.

At Axists two companies of Italian soldiers surrounded by rebels are receiving food dropped from airplanes.

The Italians have evacuated Chater and Zavia. The latter is on the coast about 125 miles east of the city of Tripoli.

A Tripoli dispatch by way of Rome, on February 13, told of fighting between rebels and the Italian forces at Misurata, near Asizia. It was then stated that the Italian government regarded the trouble as an isolated demonstration.

Ways and Means Committee Postpones Meeting Today Until Monday.

Postponement of the meeting of the rostponement of the meeting of the ways and means committee scheduled for today until Monday, owing to the inability of several members to be present, left the soldiers' bonus question in status quo today. Chairman Fordney and House Leader Mondell both declared that there has been no change in the plans which self-for-

both declared that there has been no change in the plans, which call for a vote on this measure in the House within ten days.

Favorable report on Monday by the committee of the revised bill, which provides for issuance of adjusted compensation certificates to war veterans. Is assured, republican and democratic committee members agreed. They generally were of the opinion that no further changes of consequence would be made in the measquence would be made in the meas-

ure. Bellef in Compromise.

Belief in Compromise.

Several committee members are expected to vote against reporting the bill to the House, but a safe majority is said to feel that the measure is a "satisfactory" compromise.

Mr. Fordney on his return late yesterday from a western trip refused to comment on the announced intention of Controller of the Currency Crissinger to advise national banks, in the event the bill is enacted without material change, not to accept certificates as security for loans to former service men.

Mr. Fordney declared, however, he

Mr. Fordney declared, however, he was certain loans to war veterans would in no way seriously affect the credits of banks making the loans.

to all members of the House.

Omission from the bill of such a prevision, Mr. Andrew contended, "involves injustice, has no warrant in logic and ought to be rectified before the bill is presented to a vote of the House."

Mr. Andrew said he had submitted to the ways and means committee an amendment which would have taken care of the situation. Of nine members of the committee who voted on the amendment, five, Mr. Andrew said he had been informed, voted against it, while four favored the proposal.

One-Man Decision.

REE PEEBLES HUSTON

DIES AT AGE OF 72 Was Wife of James N. Huston, U. S. Treasurer Under

Benjamin Harrison.

for about five years, and the laundry ginla and Mary E. Pinkerton of Baltimqre.

She came to Washington with her husband in 1889 and was prominent in the social activities of the capital at that time. Later she and her family moved to Connersville, Ind., and returned to Washington about 1912.

Mra Huston is survived by her husband and three children, Mrs Carlysie Gordon and W. J. Huston of this city, and Mrs. Henry Durell Crippen of New York city.

Funeral services will be held at her late residence at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. Burial will be in Rock Creek cemetery.

GANDHI FOLLOWERS

URGED TO REVOLT

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Teturn to the doctrine of cabinet responsibility.

Lioyd George on Vacation.

Prime Minister Lloyd George, with her with a photogy will be held until the author of the country of persons seeking missing relatives and friends. The Atlants police at the time were unable to find any clew concerning Brannon.

When the body was first found it was stated that the man's name was Brannon, he having told a Mr. White, station agent at Burke. Va., that was his name, and, in addition, he stated that he had a brother who was employed in Massachusettis. He also told Mr. White that he had been employed in Massachusettis. He also told Mr. White that he had been employed in Massachusettis. He also told Mr. White that he had been employed in Massachusettis. He also told Mr. White that he had been employed in Massachusettis. He also told Mr. White that he had been employed in Massachusettis. He also told Mr. White that he had been employed in Massachusettis. He also told Mr. White that he had been employed in Massachusettis. He also told Mr. White that he had been employed the beautiful the author of the country of persons the country of the country of persons the country of the country of the country of the country of persons seeking missing relatives and friends. The Atlants police at the time were unable to find any clew concerning Brannon.

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Prime Minister Lloyd George, with

The District committee bill, fathered by Chairman Focht, for legalizing the business of pawnbrokers in the capital, will come up for consideration in the House Monday, Mr. Focht said today. Monday is District day and the pawnbrokers bill is unfinished business. The bill was read the last District day, and the House will proceed Monday really to give this measure consideration, paragraph by paragraph. graph by paragraph.

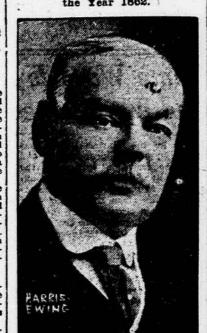
COLLEGE PARK.

COLLEGE PARK, Md., March 11.— Announcement was made today of the complete reorganisation of the cadet battalion of the University of cadet battalion of the University of Maryland. Captains have been assigned as follows: R. N. Young, Company A; A. W. Hines, Company B; O. P. Reinmuth, Company C; E. B. Filbert, Company D, and P. Frank, Company D, and P. Frank, Company E. Heretofore there have been four companies. Under the new arrangement the freshmen and sophomores will have their respective companies with non-commissioned officers from their own ranks instead of these officers coming from the sophomore class alone.

UPPER MARLBORO, Md., March 11.
—During the remainder of Lent, visiting pastors will conduct services in Trinity P. E. Church, Upper Marlboro, as follows: March 16, Rev. Thomas Williamson, Church of the Advent, Washington; 23, Rev. William H. Nes, Holy Trinity parish, Collington, Md.; 30, Rev. Thomas L. Small, curate, Cathedral Chapel of the Nativity, Washington; April 6, Rev. Joseph P. Gibson. King and Queen Parish, Chapting Principles of the Nativity, Washington; April 6, Rev. Joseph P. Gibson. King and Queen Parish, Chapting Principles of the Nativity.

CONRAD BECKER, PIONEER GUARDING SOURCES
BUSINESS MAN, SUCCUMBS GUARDING SOURCES

Native of Maryland Who Had Resided in Washington Since



CONRAD BECKER

Conrad Becker, a pioneer busines man of Washington, died at his resience, 1867 Wyoming avenue, at 7:45 o'clock this morning.

He was born December 22, 1851, at

September 1, 1875, he entered the harness and trunk business under the name of Conrad Becker. He was first located on 15th street in the old Corby Mr. Crissinger.

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Amendment of the negotiable certificate bonus bill so as to provide for issuance of adjusted compensation certificates to the heirs or estates of service men who died during the war or who died before the act becomes effective is advocated by Ropresentative Andrew, republican, Massachusetts, in a letter addressed to all members of the House.

Omission from the bill of such a "involves injustic mand" such as a constantly diminishing. It will diminish still further in the name of Corrad Becker. He was first located the was first of the was first of the prohibition bureau.

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until his deather of the Columbia Country Club, the National Press Club and one of the charter members of the Blue Ridge Rod and Gun Club, was identified with the Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade and with Benjamin B. French Lodge of Masons and other organizations.

Mr. Becker is survived by his wife, who was Miss Olivia M. Deakins of Maryland. Funeral services will probably be held Monday, but definite arrangements have not been made. arrangements have not been made.

ALEXANDRIA.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., March 11.—The body of the man struck and killed February 8 by a southbound Southern Pebruary 8 by a southbound Southerrailway passenger train about two miles south of Alexandria, in Fairfas county, has been identified as J. H Brannon, formerly of 48 West Hunter street, Atlanta, Ga., according to letter just received from that city by J. Herbert Taylor, chief of the navigation department of the Navy Department, who lives in Alexandria. Efforts are now being made to trac the relatives of the deal man, whos body still lies unclaimed at the undertaking parlors of Demaine & Son

body still lies unclaimed at the undertaking parlors of Demaine & Son Mr. Taylor today received a lette from the George Muse Clothing Company of Atlanta, Ga., from a representative of that firm who worked on the case and succeeded in establishing the identity of Brannon.

Mr. Taylor had Undertaker Demainship to Atlanta the suit of clotheworn by the man. In addition a description of the man also was senialong by Mr. Taylor and also a photograph.

Mrs. Ree Peebles Huston, wife of James N. Huston, who was United States treasurer under the Benjamin Harrison administration, died yesterday evening at her residence, 1416 Crittenden street northwest, after an illness of several months. She was seventy-two years of age.

Mrs. Huston was born in La Grange, Mrs. Huston was born in La Grange, Ey, and educated at a woman's college in Lexington. She was the daughter of Dr. Dilworth Peebles of Virginia and Mary E. Pinkerton of Baltimore.

She came to Washington with her She came to Washington with her She came to Washington with her She came to Baltimore.

Prime Minister Lloyd George, with his family, left yesterday for Cricoiceth. Wales, for a vacation. Asked just before he left for an opinion in regard to the publication of the recent message from the Indian government which led to the resignation of Edwin S. Montagu, the secretary for India, "We have been keeping the balance quite fairly between the Turks and the Greeks, and we want real peace in that part of the world. The publication of a document of this sort makes it difficulty to negotiate a satisfactory peace.

"As for Moslem opinion in India, we have always paid every regard to it. It had a great influence in the determination of our policy throughout, and we paid great deference to the part the Moslems took in the great war. They are fully entitled to express their opinion and have the right to expect that we will consider it as an element in the determination of our policy."

DISTRICT BILL UP MONDAY

Pawmbroker Measure to Be Business of the House.

The Dostrict committee bill, fattered by Chairman Foort for least the foot of matters of importance will be up for consideration.

The Alexandria High School Midgets last night defeated the Triangle Sport Club in a game of basket ball played in the auditorium of the Alexandria High School by a score of 21 to 9.

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HYATTSVILLE.

HYATTSVILLE, Md., March 11.—
Prof. Nicholas Orem, Prince Georges
county superintendent of schools,
discussed the 1928 county school budget before a gathering of people from
the county interested in school affairs
in the Carnegie Library. Washington,
yesterday. The meeting was arranged
by the committee on applied education
of the county federation of women's
clubs and one of its principal objects
was to give the county school patrons
an opportunity of becoming better acquainted with school officials.

UPPER MARLBORO.

CURTAILS WHISKY

98 Per Cent of Bootleggers' Product Poisonous, as Real Supply Is Cut. It's a matter of common knowledge

that liquor may be purchased after a bit of inquiry in almost any section of Washington. The chance, however, estimated on the figures of District and prohibition chemists, is one in fifty that the liquor is drinkable and non-injurious or non-poisonous. Why?

Consider the supply cources, as outlined by the prohibition bureau, of liquor, both genuine and "faked."

The Warehopse Closely Guarded. First of all, there is the warehouse of the government. It is guarded closely by government forces. Robberies occur at intervals, but the amount obtained in these is gobbled up so quickly that they have an effect on the liquor supply like a drop of water in a barrel of molasses.

Second, consider the smuggling. Whereas Canada was once a fertile base for smugglers, today it is rapidly losing this status on account of the activities of revenue agents on the great lakes and along the border. And the Florida coast, which has been the latest rendezvous of liquor smug giers, is now the scene of concen-tration by prohibition forces, and the supply coming into this country from that region is constantly diminishing.

As far as Washington is concerned, the first four means of obtaining liquor are almost eliminated. The fifth remains, and by it bootleggers

are prospering. An Unwritten Diary.

Amazing as it is, glance over the ollowing page from the unwritten liary of a business man, whose reputation among his fellows is high when istuteness, shrewdness and ability walk into the hypothesis:

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"April 1. April Fool's day. Down at
the office early. Mail answered at
1:30. Ready for business.
"Matter of that supply contract
tomes up. Bids seem rather high,
lave reports compiled on quality of
naterial immediately. Jones and
imith now working on it.
"Eleven o'clock. Jones and Smith
report quality of third lowest bidder
to be best of entire lot. Will look it
over myself.

o be best of entire lot. Will look it ver myself.
"Noon. No time for lunch. Looking ver that material, I have found seval flaws in it. Jones and Smith had better get aid in the matter of that flice furniture purchase. I want it to come up to standard.
"Three o'clock. Have just found what I wanted, but better be caulous about it. Will think it over a 'ew days before signing order.
"Four o'clock. Here's Bill Wetgoods." 'Howdy, Bill? Come in. What's on your mind?"

"'Afternoon. governor. Thought I'd lrop around and see how wou were fixed."
"'Got anything?"

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Rups Across Real Stuff. " 'Say, I've run across the real stuff. Let me whisper it to you. It was some high and mighty rich bugs her They want the best, you know, and they know how to get it. I've got a few cases left over. Best stuff that

ever gurgled. Guarantee it." "Sure it's all right?" "'Why, governor, you know me.
Did I ever try to do you? I can't
afford it, with my trade. I personally guarantee it."

"How much?"
"Only \$150 a case, and dirt cheap." "Only \$150 a case, and dirt cheap."
"Send out a few cases."
"'All right, governor. I'll do that little thing. Well, so long."
That is a typical instance of the attitude of some "shrewd" business men toward the forbidden drinks.
Look over this fictitious diary a few weeks later:
"April 15. Awful pain in my eyes today. Wonder what's the matter? Better go up to see an oculist. What could it be? It couldn't be that Haig & Haig. No. Couldn't be that—etc.—etc.

etc.

Proposition Agents Face. According to prohibition authorities. this represents the proposition that they are facing in some cases. A man will give every detail of a proposition affecting his business all sorts of consideration before making an outlay of money. When his health comes into money. When his health comes into question or the possibility of his being bliked out of a tidy little sum, he walks right off the gang plank and hops into the "west" area with as little thought of his greatest asset as of the type of men who are selling him this liquor. They can't be trusted, according to authorities who know them. But they are.

BELLHOPS DE LUXE.

they are.

As a result, poison whisky-making continues and will continue, it is pointed out, until the drinking public educates

itself up to the point where the will

ceases to be able to

BOSTON, March 11.—Bellhops and head waiters de luxe are to be turned out by Boston University. Seventy-five men have signed for a six weeks' course for college men who work in summer hotels during their vacation. The course, which is to start at the university next week, will show the going men how to become any sort of hotel official. It will be given by the vocational department of the college of business administration. lege of business administration

NOONDAY LENTEN SERVICES

12:30 to 1 o'clock

B. F. KEITH'S THEATER

Speaker Monday

Dr. Thomas E. Green

Conducted by Rev. Charles E. Stech

Every One Invited-No Collection